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Dr. Robert Hockett The Council for Tobacco Research-USA, Inc. 110 East 59th Street New York, NY 10022

Dear Dr. Hockett,

I have attached the program of the approved symposium entitled Lung Neuroendocrine Cells and Regulatory Peptides: Distribution, Functional Studies and Implications.

The symposium will be the only all-day program at FASEB and will be on April 16th. I am still waiting to hear from 3 persons to find out if they will accept chairmanships or appear as speakers - Dr. J. Lauweryns for Session 1 and Dr. Floyd Bloom for Session 3; Dr. S. I. Said is in Europe until October 9th.

We are in need of support principally for the following:

1) Transportation and expenses of organizing committee, foreign and non-FASEB-member participants; 2) A dinner for sponsors and participants the night before the meeting, and 3) Publication of the presentations as a monograph after previous publication of all referees and accepted presentations in Federation Proceedings.

I have applied to the National Institutes of Environmental Health Sciences for some support but I believe we still need about \$7-8000 assured with the chance that our needs would go as high as \$10,000.

The sponsor's names will appear on the program and, it we can publish the monograph, a forepage will be used to acknowledge support.

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We believe that this symposium will have considerable impact on future research in pulmonary function and disease. Your role in promoting this research is well recognized by those who have been fortunate enough to receive the support but this would be an excellent opportunity for the entire scientific community to be apprised of your help.

I hope that you will find enough stock in your budget to fund our proposal.

Sincerely,

James A. Will

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Professor

Symposium Coordinator

JAW/cb Enclosure